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Highlights: Apples in cold storage reported by cold storage warehouses for Pennsylvania totaled 6,467,000 bushels on November 30, 2005, compared to 6,160,000 bushels on November 30, 2004. The three varieties with the largest fresh market and processing reported stocks in bushels were: York with 2,143,000; Golden Delicious with 1,621,000; and Rome with 1,056,000 bushels.

Total apple stocks in Pennsylvania totaled 271,614,000 pounds on November 30, 2005, compared to 260,000,000 pounds on November 30, 2004. Pear stocks in cold storage decreased from previous year's stocks of 1,170,000 pounds to 4,000 pounds on November 30, 2005.

Pennsylvania Apples In Cold Storage, November 30, 2005

Variety	November 30, 2004					November 30, 2005				
	Fresh Market ¹		Processing		Total	Fresh Market ¹		Processing		Total
	Reg.	C.A.	Reg.	C.A.		Reg.	C.A.	Reg.	C.A.	
	(1,000) Bushels									
York	7	6	1,182	629	1,824	11	7	1,620	505	2,143
Stayman	32	1	51	0	84	28	4	35	0	67
Rome	60	62	795	391	1,308	38	42	569	407	1,056
Red Delicious	174	273	108	61	616	260	330	75	40	705
Golden Delicious	76	138	510	477	1,201	230	190	670	531	1,621
Gala	19	25	4	2	50	63	44	7	0	114
McIntosh	25	0	15	11	51	35	0	2	10	47
Fuji	133	18	35	0	186	105	43	36	1	185
Other ²	142	93	443	162	840	90	105	251	83	529
Total	668	616	3,143	1,733	6,160	860	765	3,265	1,577	6,467

¹ Includes total quantities on hand; graded and ungraded, packed or loose on the last day of the month specified. ² Includes miscellaneous varieties and some quantities of above varieties not identified.

Apple & Pear Stocks In Cold Storage, Pennsylvania & United States, November 30, 2005

Commodity	All Warehouse Stocks		
	November 30, 2004	October 31, 2005	November 30, 2005
Pennsylvania			
Apple			
Regular Storage	161,300,000	167,538,000	173,250,000
Controlled Atmosphere	98,700,000	91,896,000	98,364,000
TOTAL APPLES	260,000,000	259,434,000	271,614,000
Pears:			
Bartletts	0	1,000	1,000
Other Varieties	1,170,000	6,000	3,000
TOTAL PEARS	1,170,000	7,000	4,000
United States			
Apples:			
Regular Storage	1,183,155,000	1,563,343,000	1,028,602,000
Controlled	4,710,686,000	4,258,308,000	4,415,177,000
TOTAL APPLES	5,893,841,000	5,821,651,000	5,443,779,000
Pears:			
Bartletts	23,506,000	56,457,000	30,139,000
Other Varieties	343,681,000	462,004,000	405,683,000
TOTAL PEARS	367,187,000	518,461,000	435,822,000

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